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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.48 (d), please add the following named person as an inventor in the above application

William J. Miller, a citizen of the United States, residing at 16040 East Milan Drive, Aurora, CO 80013 USA.

Omission of the above named inventor occurred due to error and without deceptive intention on the part of the omitted inventor.

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Applicant(s)

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Digital Wave Corporation, Englewood, CO;

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Per our telephone conversation of today, it is understood that the Office has lost Applicants' June 6, 2003 submission. Accordingly, enclosed herewith is a courtesy copy of the complete June 6, 2003 submission, along with a copy of the returned stamped receipt postcard (noting that the Office received the submission, made via first class mail using the typical provisions of 37 CFR § 1.8, on June 10, 2003).

As I indicated in our discussion, Applicants are not required to file a petition to reinstate the application under these circumstances. The return receipt postcard (and, as the Examiner's comments during discussion with Applicants' undersigned Attorney indicated, the PTO's own records) indicate that the submission was timely made. Accordingly, the enclosed courtesy copy of the submission, with date stamped receipt postcard, is sufficient to address the Office's loss of the submission.

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